

THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 8.

We find in a recent number of the Warrenton (Va.) "True Index the following beautiful tribute to Rev. D. Balch, who is well and favorably known here:

To the Rev. T. B. Balch.

BY JAMES DE RUYTER BLACKWELL.
Serenely old man! how calm thy life
Is gliding to that boundless sea,
Whose all embracing arms shall clasp
What is, hath been, and yet shall be.

Metaphors if there is happiness
Within this sin-wrecked world of ours,
It must delight to dwell with thee
Amidst thy "Ringwood" meads and bowers.

Ambition ne'er hath tempted thee
The climb its rugged, slippery steep;
Nor writh within thy bosom rears
Like tempest on the stormy deep.

No thirst of lucre mars thy peace,
A peace not wealth's possession gives;
Nor thou hast learned that he is rich,
Who with his lot contented lives.

And in thy world, of varied lore,
Thou hast an empire all thine own,
And there thou reignest, richer far
Than Xerxes on his golden throne.

I gazed upon an angry sky,
Where clouds on clouds dense filled the air;
Again I looked upon the storm,
And calm the stars were shining there.

And thus, amid the storms around,
The billows of life's tempest sea,
My mind, in search of sweet repose,
Will turn to "Ringwood" and to thee.

I see thee mid thy lawns and groves,
A friend to all, no meaning harm
To aught on earth. And memory turns
To Cowper at his "Olney" farm.

For as he left this earth of ours
With kindred souls above to dwell,
A parting gift he gave to thee—
His gentle spirit on thee fell.

Serenely old man! Lo, when thy life
Hath its appointed journey run,
Oh, may it sink in shades of death
As o'er yon hills the setting sun.

Which sinks without one wretch of cloud
To veil its glory from the eye;
And as the good man's blessing leaves
His farewell blushes on the sky.

GROCERIES.

J. F. LARKIN,
DEALER IN
GROCERIES AND LIQUORS,
No. 16, N. Royal Street,
Has received a lot of Old and New
Old Rye and other WHISKIES, which
he will sell at the lowest market price, in lots
to suit purchasers, from one pint to ten barrels.
Also, RUM, GIN and IMPORTED PORT
WINE, Chocolate, Cocoa, Raisins and Figs,
Sops of various kinds, genuine Castile
indicated. aug 25-4

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Having bought the stock of Messrs. Loomis
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A very Superior Article of Gunpowder, Japan,
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A choice article of Family and Extra Flour.

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New Orleans Molasses and Golden and Honey
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SPRINGS.
Prime Factory Cheese,
Boxes Skinning, Babbitt's, Electric and
Dobbin's Soap.

Sugar Cured Hams, Breast Pieces, Shoulders
and Middlings, also a fine lot of Country Cured
Hams and Middlings.

A choice article of Lard.

W. B.
A fine assortment of Old Government, Java,
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Puro Ground and Whole Spice,
Italian Macaroni, Baker's Chocolate, Cocoa
and Broma.

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Marselles and Bordeaux Oils; also a large
assortment of Wooden and Willow Ware, Crock-
ery and Glass Ware, may 16-4

SUGARS, SYRUP, COFFEE, &c.
15 bbls. A. B. and Refined Brown Sugars; 3
bbls. prime P. R. and W. I. Sugar; 12 bbls.
Golden and Plain Syrup; 20 bags Rio Coffee,
part prime, 3 half chests choice Gunpowder
Tea; 600 lbs. Ground Coffee; 400 lbs. Fresh
Bacon; 5 boxes Pearl Starch; 5 Kegs Liverpool
Bicarbonate Soda; Mason's Challenge Blacking;
Corn Broms; Ginted Pails; No. 1 Chocolate;
Corn Broms; Ginted Pails; No. 1 Chocolate;
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BROOKES & TAYLOR,
DEALERS IN
CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,
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mar 10-4

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FINE TEAS, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS,
Corner Cameron and Royal Streets,
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Choice Flour and Teas. my 28-4

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Chimneys, all kinds and sizes, Brushes, Wick,
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EDUCATIONAL.

MRS. MARY E. KEITH will open a Primary
School for Boys, at the room formerly
occupied by Mrs. Whiting, on North Washing-
ton street. The exercises of the school will
commence MONDAY, September 14th.
The charge for tuition will be twenty dollars
for the term of forty weeks, to be paid quarterly
in advance. Fuel extra.
Previous to the commencement of the term,
application can be made to Mrs. Keith, at the
residence of Culbert Powell, esq., on North
Patrick street.
References: The Episcopal Clergyman of the city;
Culbert Powell, esq.; Albert Stuart, esq.;
L. B. Taylor, esq. sep 5-4

NORWOOD SCHOOL.
WM. D. GABELL, Principal.
Assisted by two Masters of Art of the Uni-
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the University of Virginia, or for immediate en-
terance upon the duties of life. The Fourth Ses-
sion begins September 23d, 1888.
For catalogue, containing particulars, address
the Principal, at Norwood, Nelson county, Va.
REFERENCES.

The students who have attended the School
from its inauguration. See catalogue.
Faculties: University of Virginia, The Vir-
ginia Military Institute, Washington College,
and Virginians generally.
Nelson county, sep 1-4m

MISS FANNIE GWIN'S SCHOOL.
The exercises of this School will be resumed
on Thursday, September 10th.
Particular attention given to MUSIC, at a very
reasonable charge. sep 3-2w

PRIMARY AND CLASSICAL SCHOOL.
NORMAN F. MOORE will reopen his school
for boys at his old school room, No. 49, Fairfax
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Terms: \$5 per quarter, payable in advance.
aug 24-2w

**MISS POWELL'S SELECT SCHOOL FOR
YOUNG LADIES.**
The next session of this School will begin on
Thursday, September 17.
The course of instruction will comprise the
English branch, French, Latin and Mathemat-
ics. Number of scholars strictly limited.
Circulars, containing terms, &c., can be ob-
tained at the residence of Mr. Charles L. Pow-
ell, corner of Duke and Washington sts.
aug 19-4d

H. F. HENRY'S SCHOOL.
This SCHOOL, FOR BOYS, established in
the year 1857, will commence its next annual
session on Monday, the 7th of September.
Terms of Tuition per quarter, in advance:—
\$8, \$10 and \$12, depending upon the branches
taught.
Persons wishing to see the subscriber on
business relating to the School, may find him
at his School room, in the 2d story of Friend-
ship Engine House, on any day after the 1st of
September, between the hours of 9 and 12
o'clock, m. aug 17-4td H. F. HENRY.

**ALEXANDRIA ACADEMY, ELEVENTH
ANNUAL SESSION.**
The exercises of this School will commence
on Monday, September 7th, 1888, and terminate
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Charges same as last year.
Senior Class.....\$8 per quarter
Intermediate Class.....7
Junior Class.....6
Circulars may be obtained at the bookstores,
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aug 27 JOHN S. BRADY, Principal.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY.
42 S. Washington st.
This Institution will resume its Academic
Exercises on the first Monday of September.
For circulars, containing particulars, apply
to the Principal.
aug 15-4m M. A. ROACH.

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The next session of this School will begin on
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CHARLES L. POWELL, A. M.,
Principal.
aug 19-4d LEWIS H. LEE, Grad. Un. Va., Assistant.

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moderate.
aug 29-4S14 WM. F. CARNE, Principal

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The K. K. K. session of this School
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remain in the department without being otherwise
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For further information apply to the Princi-
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COLUMBIAN COLLEGE. Washington, D. C.
The sessions of the several departments open
as follows: The Preparatory, Sept. 9th; the
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October 21st.
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G. W. SAMSON, D. D., President,
Washington, aug 6-2m

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on the arrival of the Northern Rail, on
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nov 20-4f

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Fire may be kept up in them for months by ad-
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My experience as to the value of the "Sexton
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Having had in use for the last two years one
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tion in saying that there was no representation
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expectation, heating my parlors and the cham-
bers over them last winter, to my utmost sat-
isfaction.
JAMES E. MCGRAW.